Amendment No. 43 to SB7001

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 7001*

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by deleting the first sentence of SECTION 33, § 3-6-302(e), and by substituting instead the following:

By rule, the ethics commission shall establish registration fees for employers of lobbyists and registration fees for lobbyists. Registration fees for employers of lobbyists shall be assessed on a sliding scale basis according to the total number of lobbyists authorized to represent the employer during the registration year or any portion thereof. If an employer is represented by only one lobbyist during the year, and if the employer pays that lobbyist compensation totaling less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000), then the employer's annual registration fee shall not exceed twenty-five dollars (\$25). Registration fees for lobbyists shall be assessed on a sliding scale basis according to the total number of employers the lobbyist is authorized to represent during the registration year or any portion thereof. If a lobbyist is authorized to represent only one employer during the year, and if the employer pays that lobbyist compensation totaling less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000), then the lobbyist's annual registration fee shall not exceed twenty-five dollars (\$25).